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John Polk) Group Art Unit: 2746 (2161)
Serial No.: 09/973,865) Examiner: E. Cosimano
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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PAYMENT PROCESSING USING DEBIT-BASED ELECTRONIC FUNDS TRANSFER AND DISBURSEMENT PROCESSING USING ADDENDUM-BASED ELECTRONIC DATA INTERCHANGE	PECEIVED

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Further to the Response to Notice to File Corrected Application Papers filed

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Application Papers. The Notice was originally misplaced, and this duplicate was
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was filed. Please associate the enclosed copy of the Notice to File Corrected

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This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however, is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a)

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

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